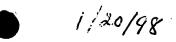
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Restriction to one of the following inventions is required under 35.S.C. 121.

Group I: claims 1-5, 8-12 and 14-16 drawn to stimilating host defense mechanisms.

Group II: claims 6, 13 drawn to treating neoplastic condition.

Group III: Claim 7 drawn to treating viral infection.

Composition claims 17-20 will be examined with the elected invention.

The several inventions above are independent and distinct, each from the other, as they have acquired a separate status in the art as a separate subject for inventive effect and require independent searches. Moreover, a reference to one above under 35 USC 103 would not be a reference to another method. Therefore, restriction for examination purpose is proper.

Applicant is required to make a provisional election, even though this requirement is traversed.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Examiner Goldberg whose telephone number is (703) 308-1235. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday from 9:00am to 3:00pm.

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